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Transmitted herewith is a non-provisional U.S. patent application identified as follows:

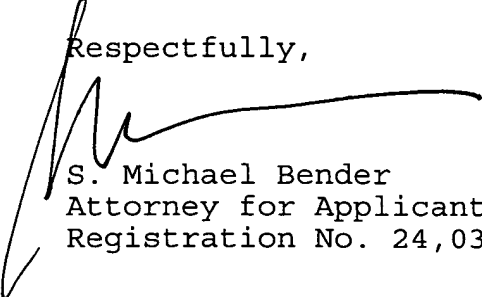
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For: SIMULATED TURTLE LURE APPARATUS  
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Small Entity status of this application under 37 CFR 1.27 is sought by a verified statement filed with the application.

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